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INTERVIEW SUMMARY

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) *Stephanie Willatt* (3) *John Guyrin*
(2) *Kevin Shaver* (4) _____

Date of Interview *10/28/03*

Type: ☐ Telephonic ☐ Televideo Conference ☒ Personal (copy is given to ☐ applicant ☒ applicant's representative).

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: ☐ Yes ☒ No If yes, brief description: _____

Agreement ☐ was reached. ☒ was not reached.

Claim(s) discussed: *All and proposed new claim (copy attached hereto)*
Identification of prior art discussed: *art of record*

Description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:

Proposed new claim appears to be readable over the prior art of record. However, further search & consideration will be required.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments, if available, which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments which would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview.

Unless the paragraph above has been checked to indicate to the contrary. A FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION IS NOT WAIVED AND MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW.

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an attachment to another form.

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Claim For Discussion Only

1. (Draft Amendment) A floss dispenser comprising:
a body configured to hold and dispense dental floss,
the body comprising two parts that are selectively separable and that together define a chamber within which the dental floss is disposed prior to being dispensed; and
an arm extending away from the body, the arm configured so as to facilitate gripping by a user when removing dental floss from the body,
a portion of the arm being selectively received and held within the chamber when the two parts of the body are connected together.